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Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

**FEE TRANSMITTAL  
For FY 2005**☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)

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**Complete if Known**

Application Number	10/774,816
Filing Date	02/09/2004
First Named Inventor	Gammons, et al.
Examiner Name	Aaron F. Roane
Art Unit	3739
Attorney Docket No.	27230.03

**METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)**☒ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ None ☐ Other (please identify):☒ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 16-1910 (27230.03) Deposit Account Name: Pitts and Brittian, P.C.

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**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid(\$)
	Small Entity	Small Entity	Small Entity	Small Entity	Small Entity	Small Entity	
Utility	Fee (\$) 300	Fee (\$) 150	Fee (\$) 500	Fee (\$) 250	Fee (\$) 200	Fee (\$) 100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Small Entity	Small Entity
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	Fee (\$) 50	Fee (\$) 25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
-20 or HP = -20	x	=	0

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
-3 or HP = -3	x	=	0

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**4. OTHER FEES**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Terminal Disclaimer

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Docket Number (Optional)

27230.03

In re Application of: Gammons, et al.Application No.: 10/774,816Filed: 02/09/2004For: Upper Body Convective Heat Therapy Device and Method of Making and Using Same

The owner\*, Adroit Development, Inc., of 100% percent interest in the instant application hereby disclaims, except as provided below, the terminal part of the statutory term of any patent granted on the instant application which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term **prior patent** No. 6,827,729 as the term of said prior patent is defined in 35 U.S.C. 154 and 173, and as the term of said **prior patent** is presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer. The owner hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the instant application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that it and the **prior patent** are commonly owned. This agreement runs with any patent granted on the instant application and is binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

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is found invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction;

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